

EXHIBIT B

**INTERNATIONAL PRELIMINARY
EXAMINATION REPORT - SEPARATE SHEET**

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1. The claimed subject matter of the Claims 1 to 10 is novel over the contents of the documents cited in the ISR as none of these documents disclose all technical features of these claims (Article 33 (2) PCT).
2. Also an inventive step is given for this subject matter, as the specific combination of technical features of these claims is not made obvious by one or a combination of two or more of these documents (Article 33 (3) PCT).
3. Industrial applicability is given for this subject matter (Article 33 (4) PCT).